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SUBJ: CEP: CIVIL EMERGENCY PLANNING AS A SUPPORTING ELEMENT OF
NATO CONVENTIONAL CAPABILITY

REF: USNATO 703

SUMMARY: INTERNATIONAL MILITARY STAFF (IMS) WORKING
MEMORANDUM (IMSWM-79-75) DATED 3 MARCH, 1975, REFERENCE
SUBJECT, SUGGESTS COURSE OF ACTION FOR MILITARY COMMITTEE
(MC) TO PRUSUE, INCLUDING A SUGGESTED MEMORANDUM TO
THE SYG WHICH INVITES HIM TO SUPPORT CERTAIN ACTIONS.

END SUMMARY.

1. IMSWM-79-75 POUCHED (REGISTRATION NUMBER 847977) TO
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EUR/RPM, J.DENNIS AND OP/GSA, R. GRIFFITH, APRIL 7.

2. REFTL, AT PARA 2 E POSTULATED THAT IMS MIGHT PRODUCE
PAPER FOR MC CONSIDERATION AT END OF FEBRUARY. MC NOW

NOT EXPECTED TO DISCUSS THE IMSWM JUST ISSUED UNTIL
APRIL 24. THEREFORE, SCENARIO OUTLINED REFTTEL MUST BE
ADJUSTED AS FOLLOWS: PARA 2 F - FROM MARCH TO END OF APRIL
OR EARLY MAY, DEPENDING ON OUTCOME MC APRIL 24 MEETING;
2. G - FROM APRIL 10-11 TO MAY 3-7. TIMING OF 2 H WILL
ALSO DEPEND ON SHAPE MC DECISION TAKES.

3. IMS DOCUMENT REVIEWS BACKGROUND OF LACK OF ACTION
AND POSITIVE ACHIEVEMENTS IN IDENTIFYING MILITARY SUPPORT
REQUIREMENTS FOR CIVIL RESOURCES. IT DOUBTS USEFULNESS
OF AN ADDITIONAL WORKING GROUP, AS SUGGESTED BY U.S.
DEL'S MEMO (USM-43-75 DTD 4 FEBRUARY 1975) AND SUGGESTS
THAT AN APPROACH TO THE PROBLEM SHOULD BE AREA BY AREA
IN ORDER TO DIVIDE IT INTO MANAGEABLE PROPORTIONS WHICH
ALSO MAY BE DIVIDED BOTH TO GEOGRAPHY AND TO THE NATURE
OF RESOURCES INVOLVED. THE IMS MEMO ALSO SUGGESTS MC
REQUEST MAJOR NATO COMMANDS (MNCS) AND NATO AND NATIONAL
CIVIL AUTHORITIES TO IDENTIFY REQUIREMENTS. DRAFT LETTER
TO SYG AS ENCLOSURE TO IMSWM INVITES HIM TO SUPPORT THE BROAD
PLAN QUOTE BY REQUESTING THE NATO AD NATIONAL CIVIL
EMERGENCY PLANNING AUTHORITIES TO:

A. IDENTIFY POSSIBILITIES OF CIVIL SUPPORT TO MILITARY
OPERATIONS IN TIMES OF CRISIS AND WAR AND TO MAKE SUGGESTIONS
IN THIS RESPECT TO THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES:

B. SUPPORT THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF THE NECESSARY ARRANGE-
MENTS AS SOON AS MILITARY REQUIREMENTS FOR CIVIL SUPPORT,
OF ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES FOR SUCH SUPPORT, HAVE BEEN
ESTABLISHED. - END QUOTE.

4. MISSION WOULD APPRECIATE COMMENTS PRIOR TO APRIL 24. BRUCE

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